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Sir:

In response to the office action of 04-06-05, for which a petition for a 1-month time extension to 08-08-05 (Aug. 6 being a Saturday) is hereby made and authorization given to debit deposit account No. 04-1945 for the corresponding fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

An Appendix follows page 10 of this paper including two sheets of drawings illustrating that the water outlet tilts upwardly when the water pitcher is downwardly tilted.

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